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Applicant:

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COMPOSITIONS AND METHOD FOR TREATMENT OF

ATTENTION DEFICIT DISORDER AND ATTENTION

DEFICIT/HYPERACTIVITY DISORDER WITH

METHYLPHENIDATE

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of the above-identified co-pending prior application in which no patenting, abandonment, or termination of proceedings has occurred. Priority to the aboveidentified prior application is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120 for this continuing application. The entire disclosure of the above-identified prior application is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuing application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

[X] Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are:

- [X] Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (26 pages).
- [X] Formal drawings (2 Sheets, Figures 1-2).
- [X] Unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages).
- [X] Application Data Sheet (4 pages).

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